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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Mr. Josh Minges, Esquire  
**Public Service Commission of South Carolina**  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Tehran Scott v. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company  
Response of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company to Petition for  
Reconsideration of Tehran Scott  
Docket No. 2017-247-E

Dear Mr. Minges:

By Order No. 2017-553, dated September 12, 2017, in the above-referenced docket, the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") dismissed the Complaint of Mr. Tehran Scott finding that "[b]ased on the filings in the Docket, nothing shows that SCE&G has violated any applicable statute, law, regulation, or order within the Commission's jurisdiction." By electronic mail, dated September 15, 2017, Mr. Scott requested "a petition for reconsideration of the motion to dismiss" ("Petition"). By this letter, SCE&G hereby respectfully requests that the Commission deny Mr. Scott's Petition.

The purpose of a petition for rehearing and reconsideration is to allow the Commission to identify and correct specific errors and omissions in its orders. Under the operative Commission regulation, 10 S.C. Code Ann. Reg. § 103-825 A.(4):

A Petition for Rehearing or Reconsideration shall set forth clearly and concisely:

- (a) The factual and legal issues forming the basis for the petition;
- (b) The alleged error or errors in the Commission order;
- (c) The statutory provision or other authority upon which the petition is based.


Mr. Scott's Petition does not raise any issues of law or fact that were omitted from consideration or misconstrued by the Commission in the prior order. It therefore does not present sufficient grounds to modify, amend, or rehear the matter decided in Order No. 2017-553, and the Commission should deny the Petition.

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If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Matthew W. Gissendanner".

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cc: Tehran Scott  
Dawn Hipp  
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(all via electronic mail and U.S. First Class Mail w/ enclosure)